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## THE LARGEST ARMY POST

San Antonio, Texas, Feb. 19.—Fort Sam Houston of San Antonio is being transformed from a regimental into a brigade post, and when the work now under way is completed, will be the largest army post in the United States. This post has had the most remarkable development. In 1899 it consisted of 100 buildings of cheap construction, which cost \$546,722.33. It now consists of 183 buildings which with walks, roads, sewer system, etc., cost \$1,845,825.31. Sixty-four additional buildings have been authorized and are partially completed, which will cost \$794,140, and 24 other buildings making a total of 271 buildings, at a cost of \$3,279,393.31. These figures are furnished by the Quarter-master General's Department and are official. Fort Sam Houston covers 585 and one half acres, and occupies a commanding site overlooking this city.

## MANDAMUS WRIT.

### Metropolitan Life Files Application at Austin.

Austin, Feb. 19.—The Metropolitan Life Insurance company, through Locke & Locke, of Dallas filed an application for a writ of mandamus in the supreme court against Insurance Commissioner Love to compel him to issue license to this company to transact business in Texas. This is the test suit against the Robertson insurance law, and this company has complied with every other Texas insurance law except that act. The constitutionality of the act is assailed and general assault is made on its various provisions. Relators allege its title and caption are bad; that its operation is retroactive; that the insurance commissioner has authority to suspend it, which is a delegation of legislative authority to an executive officer of the government.

This company through its attorneys paid the sum of \$13,250 into the treasury, being the amount due on occupation taxes for 1907 based on certificate of the insurance commissioner, but the payment of this tax, according to notice to the treasurer by the commissioner, is not intended to mean that the permit will be issued. That is to be determined by the court. The treasurer merely received the money on the commissioner's certificate.

### TRIAL DATE SET.

Bookkeeping Order of Railroad Commissioner Comes Up March 2.

Austin, Feb. 19.—The injunction suit on the part of the railroads against the railroad commission, in which they attack the bookkeeping order of the commission, has been set for trial for March 2. The railroad attorneys have been anxious to get the suit postponed, and they reported to the attorney general that the commission was in favor of allowing the suit to go over. When assistant attorney General Pollard was apprised of this fact, he stated that he would be willing to postpone if the commissioners would put their request for postponement in writing. So far the commission has failed to do this and the suit will be tried on that date. The commissioners will be used by the state as witnesses.

### Arm Torn From Socket.

Austin, Feb. 19.—Bertie White, a switchman in the yards of the International and Great Northern railway severely injured by a freight car jumping the track. An arm was torn from its socket. He is not expected to recover, having also received internal injuries. He was run over by the wheels of the engine and tender.

### POSITIVE DENIAL.

Receivership Not to Be Asked For the Missouri Pacific Railroad.

New York, Feb. 19.—Reports which had been circulated in the west for several days to the effect that a receivership was about to be asked for the Missouri Pacific railroad was given positive denial by George J. Gould, president of the road. "There is absolutely not a word of truth in these reports or any reports of the kind involving this property," said Mr. Gould. "Receivership proceedings has not been thought of or even dreamed of, and there is not even the most remote possibility that there will be."

### SPEEDY SHEARING.

In Nine Hours Man Clips Three Hundred and Twenty-five Animals.

Phoenix, Ariz., Feb. 19.—The world's record for shearing sheep by machinery has been broken by a man named F. Hill, who sheared 325 in nine hours. The shearing plant employs thirty shearers and the plant also made a world's record, shearing 6,572 sheep in nine hours, or 220 per man. The shearing was performed at Beardsley, twenty-five miles north-west of Phoenix.

### Stinging Snowstorm.

St. Louis, Feb. 19.—The temperature dropped down to 22 degrees above zero Wednesday and a stinging snowstorm prevailed, being driven by a hard northwest wind.

## WOMEN AP- PEAL TO HUGHES

Albany, N. Y., Feb. 19.—A delegation of equal suffragists today made a direct appeal to the legislature and to Governor Hughes in behalf of a constitutional amendment granting suffrage to women. The delegation numbered several hundred women and was headed by Mrs. Harriet Stanton Blatch, daughter of Mrs. Elizabeth Cady Stanton and president of the Equality League of Self-Supporting Women.

## ALL WIRES GO UNDERGROUND

San Antonio, Texas, Feb. 19.—First of the cities in the Southwest, San Antonio has passed an ordinance requiring telegraph and telephone companies to put their wires underground. This transformation will cost the companies at least \$200,000, and some of them are naturally protesting. Until the first of next year has been given for the completion of the work, but the city fathers are inexorable in declaring that it must be done. Citizens of San Antonio are especially proud of the beauty of this place, where ancient buildings, plazas, and parks, preserve even among handsome modern structures a Latin American atmosphere, the network of wires and poles is held by many to be an abomination. San Antonio, is said to be the only city in the South that has taken this progressive action.

## STILL SNOWED.

### Frigid Conditions Continued at Chicago Wednesday.

Chicago, Feb. 19.—The blizzard which began here Tuesday and which nearly paralyzed all transportation in Chicago and suburbs, was still in progress Wednesday, although the greatest fury of the storm had passed. Light snow fell during the early part of the day and was piled into deep drifts by the strong wind. Traffic on all surface and elevated street car lines as well as on steam roads was greatly delayed in spite of the strenuous efforts of officials of the various lines. Trains from the west arrived all the way from one to eight hours late on account of huge drifts. Accidents occurred to the pedestrians and one unidentified man was struck by a freight train on the Chicago and Western railroad during the storm and killed. Two men were found by police almost completely buried in the snow. Service on the electric line running between Elgin and Chicago was almost at a standstill.

### OREGON LAND GRANTS.

Government Is to Institute Action as Soon as Possible.

Washington, Feb. 19.—The fact that the department of justice has made all preparations to begin a suit to enforce the terms of the government land grants in Oregon was brought out in the senate Tuesday when Senator Fulton reported a resolution authorizing that department to bring suits.

The resolution was discussed by senators, the only action urged against it being based on the idea that the attorney general was now empowered by law to do all that was sought by the resolution.

During the discussion Senator Fulton announced that the department was ready to proceed and merely wanted the authority of congress to meet any possible questions that may be raised against the legality of the proceedings.

### POISON IN MONEY.

Hotel Manager Who Handled Cash Contracts Disease and Dies.

New York, Feb. 19.—John McD. Hopkirk is dead as the result of handling poisoned money. Mr. Hopkirk was manager of the Mills hotel, and from money which he handled contracted malignant scarlatina. Mr. Hopkirk acted as cashier of the hotel, in which cheap lodgings are given to the poor, and in that capacity, handled hundreds of dirty germ laden bills, coming from the slums of the city. Physicians say there is no doubt the disease was communicated by means of these dirty bills.

Mr. Hopkirk was well known for charitable work in this city.

### NEBRASKA ARRIVES.

Battleship of That Name Is the Advance Guard of One of the Fleets.

San Francisco, Feb. 19.—The battleship Nebraska, Captain Nicholson, has arrived from Magdalena bay as the vanguard of the fleet which will be in this harbor by Saturday, and which, though not so large as that on the way here under Admiral Evans' command, will be the most imposing array of fighting machines ever assembled inside the Golden Gate. Colorado and Pennsylvania, and Admiral Seabee's big cruisers, Tennessee and Washington, will be here Friday, to be joined Saturday by the South Dakota and California, now anchored between here and Mare Island. These with the Nebraska, make nine first class warships, with about 800 officers and men on each vessel.

UNTIL the Government guarantees Bank Deposits what better guarantee can you get than the Stockholders whose names appear below.

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A glance at the above names together with our large Cash Resources furnishes abundant proof that this Bank is not only fortified against all emergencies but is prepared to care for, in a regular way, all legitimate business entrusted to it by our Merchants and Farmers.

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## NEW PLANING MILL

We have installed a Planing Mill at our Lumber Yard and invite your Patronage---Finished Lumber, Moulding, etc.

We quote you Inviting Prices as follows.

All common or rough dressed lumber, ceiling, and beveled siding, at  
per thousand..... **\$20.00**  
Flooring and novelty siding,  
per thousand..... **25.00**  
Door, windows, blinds, etc., at proportionately low prices.

We want your lumber trade, and solicit your cotton ginning  
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One car White Crest Flour.  
One car Club House Canned Goods.

And a large shipment of Dwinell Wright's Coffees.

These three represent the best that the market affords.

Give us your business for February

And we will show our appreciation with fresh goods and prompt and courteous treatment.

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## WAGNER & BRANDON

### The Daily Eagle

Entered at the Postoffice at Bryan, Texas, as second class matter.

BY CARNES & WALLACE

BRYAN, TEXAS, FEBRUARY 20, 1908

The Eagle is betting on Judson Harmon as Bryan's running mate.

Every native white American is a presidential possibility at birth.

Plain corn bread, red ham gravy and buttermilk make a feast fit for a king.

Missouri is called the "mule state," but Texas has nearly twice as many as that state.

Byron never meant it when he wrote, "Tis sweet to hear the watch dog's honest bark," for he had been a night prowler himself.

Only a few faint echoes are heard in response to the announcement of Col. R. M. Wynne. The man who can beat Davidson hasn't announced yet.

Wasn't that a nice, fresh breeze yesterday? So crisp and bracing. Texas can furnish more varieties of weather than any other six states.

Some where we have heard the essentials of happiness summed up thus: "A little farm, well tilled; a little home, well filled; a little wife, well willed."

Bully for Foster: His weather bulletin, published in the Eagle last week said: "From Feb. 15 to 18 dangerous storms will occur and 19 to 21 a severe cold wave and blizzard."

Governor Von Yonson of Minnesota has made that long promised statement on the presidential situation. He says he is not a candidate and does not expect to be. The Eagle told you so.

Ohio Democrats have endorsed Bryan, with the proviso that where primary elections are held the Democratic masses may indicate their choice by writing the name of the candidate on the ticket. This gives Cincinnati Democrats a chance to vote for Judson Harmon if they want to.

Secretary Taft believes in being all things to all men in order that by all means he may win votes. We all remember his speech in Kentucky and how he said the southern people were the proper ones to deal with the race problem. Day before yesterday in Concord, New Hampshire, he censured the southern people for the alleged disfranchisement of the negro.

"Our lives are measured by deeds rather than by years," said Rev. Mr. Wood at the Free Baptist church Sunday. As an illustration he said that Methuselah lived over 900 years and did nothing worth recording, while in the 3 years of his active life Jesus performed so many and such wonderful deeds that earth and Heaven are yet ringing with the results.

In his bill to provide for an elastic currency Senator Allrich has over-shot the mark. Who wants to give Eastern Bankers the power to add half a billion to the currency in forty-eight hours? Then, too, the power of contraction placed in their hands is equal to the power of expansion. It is about the most vicious piece of financial legislation ever proposed.

Not long ago the Palestine Herald was opposing the nomination of W. J. Bryan, but with the organization of a Bryan Club in Palestine it has seen the light. Like many new converts in its enthusiasm it is inclined to be boastful. It says: "Palestine is going to be the banner Bryan town of the Democratic world." That prominence belongs to the city of Bryan by name.

**POLITICS AND POLITICIANS.**  
Representative Joseph Holt Gaines, of West Virginia, has the unusual distinction of being the only member of either house of Congress born in Washington, D. C.

L. Q. C. Lamar, a grandson of L. Q. C. Lamar, who was a member of the United States Supreme court is a candidate for the Texas legislature.

The headquarters of the Democratic Congressional campaign committee will be located in Chicago in the coming campaign, instead of in Washington, from which city the last campaign was conducted.

The apportionment of delegates for the coming Democratic national convention makes no allowance for a representation of the Philippine Islands, but gives a larger representation than the Republicans to the District of Columbia, Hawaii and Porto Rico.

Present indications are that the delegates from New Hampshire and Maine to the Republican national convention will be uninstructed.

Republican State conventions to elect delegates-at-large to the national convention are as follows: Missouri, St. Louis, Feb. 27; Ohio, Columbus, March 3; Kansas, Topeka, March 4; Oklahoma, Oklahoma City, March 11; Nebraska, Omaha, March 11; Iowa, Des Moines, March 18; Indiana, Indianapolis, April 1; South Dakota, Huron, April 7; Vermont, Burlington, April 29; West Virginia, Parkersburg, April 29; Pennsylvania, Harrisburg, April 29; Maine, Portland, April 30; North Carolina, Greensboro, April 29; Idaho, Wallace, May 12; Michigan, Grand Rapids, May 12; Connecticut, Hartford, May 12; North Dakota, Minot, May 14.

### LUNCHEON AND CARD PARTY.

Mrs. G. S. Parker Entertained in Honor of Mrs. Milton Bell Parker Yesterday Afternoon.

A brilliant card party and luncheon was given yesterday afternoon by Mrs. G. S. Parker, complimentary to Mrs. Milton Bell Parker, the Entre Nous Club being also entertained. Present were the guest of honor, members of the club and substitutes and Mrs. Buell of Massachusetts and Miss Williams of Brenham.

The pleasures of the afternoon began with a George Washington party, the parlor and library being bright with the national colors, red, white and blue, with a wealth of red carnations. On each of the seven tables arranged for the games of five hundred were miniature cherry trees with the famous little hatchets sticking to them. The games were scored with hatchets and marked with cherries. The consolation favor, a dainty little hatchet, was presented by Mrs. Haswell to Mrs. Burger.

When the games were over the dining room doors were thrown open revealing the lovely scene of what was the most charming part of the entertainment—the luncheon to the bride. The decorations were of white and green, with white carnations, green ferns and smilax, and green candles in cut glass candle sticks. At each end of the table were large clusters of white and green crystalized grapes. At each place were large clusters of white carnations, pretty souvenirs of the occasion. Lovely booklet place cards, with a dainty water color sketch of a bride, were also at each place and contained the following charming menu arrangement by Mrs. W. H. Oliver:

"To say you are welcome were superfluous—"

"Today is ours! What do we fear? Today is ours; we have it here. Let's banish business, banish sorrow, To the gods belongs tomorrow."

"O, Glorious Three!"

Chicken Salad

Tomatoes en Mayonnaise

Lettuce Sandwiches

Oyster Pate

Coffee

"One sip of this

Will bathe the drooping spirits in de light

Beyond the bliss of dreams."

Cream

"The daintiest last to make the end more sweet!"

Cake

"Can one desire too much of a good thing?"

What is there in the vale of life—

Half so delightful as a wife,

When friendship, love and peace combine

To stamp the marriage bond divine?

A Toast

The Bride—Mrs. Henry Gholson

Rhodes

Fades the light

And afar—

Goeth day—cometh night.

Goodbye—Good night."

Mrs. M. W. Sims was the inimitable toastmistress, and an infinity of wit and wisdom was contributed in a series of impromptu toasts proposed by her, the list being as follows: "Getting and Keeping a Husband," Mrs. Frank Clarke; "Can a Husband be Trusted?," Mrs. Jno. T. Hanway; "A

Bride's Trousseau," Mrs. Buell; "To My Best Friend (the bride)," Mrs. Geo. W. Smith Jr.; "Ante-Nuptial Lovers," Mrs. Jno. B. Hines; "How Late do You Stay Out at Night?" Mrs. Haswell; "A Message from the Groom to the Bride," Mrs. M. W. Sims; "The Chaperone," Mrs. Jno. E. Astin; "Good Wishes to the Bride," Miss Williams; "Kissing," Miss Hettie Smith; "To Woman," Mrs. Cliff A. Adams; "Woman's Rights," Mrs. Seth Moorling; "Vows of a Bride," Mrs. Milton Sims Jr.; "To the Hostess," Mrs. Geo. M. Brandon.

### NEW GRIST AND FEED MILLS.

Mr. John Vick Will Establish New and Important Enterprise in Bryan.

Jno. C. Vick is installing, at the south end of Main street on the site formerly occupied by the Howell Lumber Company, an outfit of machinery including grist mill, feed mills, crushers, elevator, etc., for the grinding of corn meal, chops and all kinds of feed stuff.

The machinery has been ordered something over four weeks and is expected at any time. The concrete foundations for the machinery are already built and the building is being put in shape.

He will keep on hand fresh corn meal and will supply it fresh to the merchants daily; also exchange for corn with the farmers.

Enterprises like this are of inestimable value in building up a country, and helping along the live and trade at home policy. Every bushel of home raised corn ground means money kept at home and in the course of a year's time this business will keep many thousands of dollars in Brazos county that would otherwise have gone to the northern mills for feed stuffs.

The convenience of the location and being always ready to serve is a point not to be overlooked and will be appreciated by the public.

Mr. Vick is by education and practical experience well qualified to conduct successfully the business of the progressive enterprise.

### NEWS NOTES IN BRIEF.

College fraternity men are in session at Minneapolis.

Colorado hardware and implement dealers are in session at Denver.

Hon. George Henry Finch, father of the British house of commons, is 73 years old today. He has represented Rutland in the house for forty-one years.

The thirtyfourth annual convention of the Minnesota Y. M. C. A. is in session.

Bloomington, Ill., is holding a notable bench show under the auspices of the Kennel Club.

Florida postmasters are in session at Tampa, where the Florida State Fair is also in progress.

The Wisconsin Consumer's League held a state meeting at Madison Wednesday.

The fourteenth annual Motor Boat and Spotsman's Show begins to day at Madison Square garden in New York. The largest indoor tank ever constructed has been provided for swimming and other aquatic contests. There are also animal and fish exhibits.

The Michigan Press Association is in session at Saginaw.

The Michigan Dairymen's Association is in session at Battle Creek.

Ohio dog fanciers are attending the annual bench show of the Columbus Kennel Club.

## THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF BRYAN

### ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

State of Texas, County of Brazos.

To those indebted to or holding claims against the Estate of Lee Stephenson, deceased.

The undersigned having been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Lee Stephenson, deceased, late of Brazos County, Texas, by A. G. Board, Judge of the County Court of said County, on the 23rd day of January, 1908, during a regular term thereof, hereby notifies all persons indebted

to said estate to come forward and make settlement, and those having claims against said estate to present them to him at his residence at Navasota, Grimes County, Texas, where he receives his mail. This Feb. 4th, A. P. 1908.

A. P. TERRILL, Administrator of the estate of Lee Stephenson, deceased.

House for rent. Apply to Mrs. C. M. Proctor.

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## KEEP IN MIND

That we please our patrons.

No trouble to show our goods and tell you about them.

Quality and service unsurpassed in pharmacy work.

FULL LINE OF BOOKS, STATIONERY and PERIODICALS.

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## CONCRETE WORK

I am prepared to do all Brick work, Sidewalk and Concrete work at moderate prices.

SEE ME BEFORE LETTING CONTRACTS

.. ALL WORK GUARANTEED ..

## JOHN WINTER

## Cucumber Cream For Chapping.

Cucumber Cream cures chapped skin—that is the only thing it will do, but it does it well. When your skin roughs up, peels, scales, gets dry and harsh, CUCUMBER CREAM will soften it; makes it clear and smooth, and keeps it moist and fresh, so that the roughness will not recur. No grease or stickiness.

25c per Bottle

ALL THE OTHER KINDS, TOO.

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DRUGGISTS.

Phone 66

Insure in the SOUTHWESTERN LIFE INSURANCE CO. of Dallas, Tex.

Why? Because it is a Texas company, has ample Capital and Surplus and will keep Texas money in Texas. Joe B. Reed will explain the different plans and rates, and can also write Accident and Sick Benefit Insurance in best companies and give you just what you want, and you will know what you are getting. Every man and woman under 50 years, in good health, should join

FRIEND-IN-NEED SOCIETY.

Many are now enjoying the benefits from Life Insurance that would not if not for my efforts.

Joe B. Reed



# FEBRUARY

We want your Grocery account for February.

Remember the quality of the goods never get too high for us to handle.

## SPOTLESS FLOUR

Is the Flour that gives entire satisfaction to the most exacting and particular people. We are exclusive handler of this high grade Flour for this community. Try a sack with your next order. Ask for it and DON'T TAKE ANY OTHER.

We have now ready for sale a complete line of the best and freshest Garden Seeds.

## ED HALL

THE GROCER

### PASSENGER TRAIN SCHEDULES.

#### H. & T. C. Schedule.

No. 3 North Bound..... 1:38 p. m.  
No. 5 North Bound..... 12:46 a. m.  
No. 2 South Bound..... 3:40 p. m.  
No. 6 North Bound..... 2:48 a. m.

#### I. & G. N. Schedule.

No. 14, North..... 12:54 p. m.  
No. 15, South..... 4:14 p. m.

Mrs. E. A. Wilcox is visiting at Iola. Jas. Cooper of Rock Prairie was in the city yesterday.

J. S. Francis of Cottonwood was in the city yesterday.

R. S. Newsome was in from the Brazos bottom yesterday.

Mrs. W. F. Gregg was a visitor from Wheelock yesterday.

J. R. Astin was here yesterday from his plantation near Mumford.

Editor J. H. Lanier of the Knox City Sun was in Bryan yesterday.

Major Cliff A. Adams returned yesterday from a South Texas trip.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Bailey and little son have returned from Calvert.

Mrs. S. S. Cohen returned to Navasota yesterday after a visit in this city.

Marriage license has been issued to George Washington and Jane Robinson.

W. R. Smith, division freight agent of the H. & T. C., was in the city yesterday.

Cigar Salesman Wanted—Experience unnecessary. \$100 per month Toledo, Ohio. Feb. 22

T. W. Worthington of the Baute's Ferry neighborhood was in the city yesterday.

Edge Dry Goods Co. have received all their spring slippers. Buy while you can get 10 per cent off. 64

Mrs. S. K. Morley of Austin is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Capps of Benchley.

Lost—A month old black shepherd pup, with white on breast. Reward for return to Trant's Hotel. 61

Emmet Cole went to Houston yesterday to make application for examination as an electrical engineer.

Everything in our store at cost this week except shoes; 10 per cent off on them. Edge Dry Goods Co. 64

The Brazos Valley Horse and Mule Co. shipped a carload of horses and mules to Port Arthur yesterday.

Fresh Bread, Cakes, etc., at the Texas Bakery, Mrs. Otto Boehme, Proprietor. d-11

Messrs. H. O. Boatwright and A. W. Wilkerson returned yesterday from the district bankers' meeting at Beaumont.

Joe No'to went to Dallas yesterday. H. S. Jenkins is visiting in Dallas.

Mrs. Laura Koppe arrived from Houston yesterday.

"Health Coffee" is really the closest imitation ever yet produced. This, the finest coffee substitute ever made, has recently been produced by Dr. Shoop of Racine, Wis. Not a grain of real coffee in it either. Health Coffee is made from pure toasted cereals, with malt, nuts, etc. Really it would fool an expert—who might drink it for coffee. No twenty or thirty minutes boiling. "Made in a minute" says the doctor. Sold by Jno. M. Lawrence & Co. d-11

FOR SALE.

Two good six-foot floor show cases, practically new, at a bargain. W. J. Coulter. 64

ONLY SURVIVOR OF CORNERSVILLE CLUB

Col. J. K. Street, Veteran Newspaper Man of Dallas was in the City Yesterday.

Col. J. K. Street, a veteran newspaper man whose home has for several years been in Dallas, was here yesterday mingling with friends, his mission being to claim the last bottle of wine of the Cornersville Club, left with the records of the club in the custody of the Brazos county judge when the survivors few in number, disbanded the organization in 1899. Of the sixteen schoolmates of Cornersville, Tenn., who organized the club in 1872, after coming to Texas, Col. Street alone survives. Dr. Mitchell, Messrs. Jim and Whit Mitchell and Col. Harvey Mitchell, all of Bryan, and now deceased, were members of the club.

At the organization of the club each of the members sealed a bottle of wine, and at the annual dinners following the death of each member, the bottle of wine which he had sealed was opened and partaken of in tribute to his memory by the survivors. The last dinner preceded the depositing of the records and remaining bottle of wine.

Upon investigation yesterday, it was found that the deposit was made with the agreement that it should remain until the fiftieth anniversary of the organization of the club, and then go to the last survivor should any be living.

There was a depth of pathos in the presence of the last solitary and venerable figure amid scenes that witnessed former meetings of this band of devoted friends; yet the benign smile that lit his kindly face bespoke the impress of this beautiful life long friendship upon his soul and gave to finite isolation the glorious halo of immortality and the promise that soon again there will be no silent voice at roll call, and pain, sorrow, death and separation shall be no more forever.

STUDENTS ARE BUSY AT WORK.

Commandant Reported 202 Men on Campus Last Night and Thirty-Three Absent on Leave.

Capt. Moses reported a total of 202 men on the campus at College last night, and 33 absent on leave. Those at College include seven juniors, eighty-four freshmen, about seventy-five sophomores and the remainder seniors, and the commandant stated that all on the grounds who are not in the hospital are at work. About ten boys came in yesterday.

Dean Puryear stated that 136 men had been reinstated up to 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon, and that the seniors, those in the hospital and absent on leave were not required to be reinstated, being present or accounted for.

RETURNED FROM CHICAGO.

Mr. Eugene Edge has returned from an extended stay in Chicago, where he made large purchases of seasonable goods for his store. Mr. Edge says he got rid of nearly all winter goods during his successful sale previous to departure and made room for the big new lines he has purchased. He made a close study of the best and newest things offered, and feels sure that the results will prove pleasing to patrons of his store.

It will be learned with pleasure that Mrs. W. R. Lawrence will continue in charge of Mr. Edge's millinery department. She has just returned from a month's stay with relatives in Chicago her former home, and while there gave attention to everything new in the millinery line. Mr. Edge anticipates that his millinery showing will be the most attractive the store has ever offered.

## Special Sale Men's Fine Trousers



JUST at the time when you need them to make your old suit finish out the winter, we offer you choice of our entire stock of high grade trousers at a big saving in price.

This sale includes all of our famous

Paragon and Crown makes

in sold blacks, stripes, checks and plaids, in fact every pair of trousers in the store is included in this sale, not a pair reserved.

All \$2.50 Trousers Reduced to **\$1.85**  
All \$3.00 Trousers Reduced to **\$2.25**  
All \$3.50 Trousers Reduced to **\$2.65**  
All \$4.00 Trousers Reduced to **\$3.00**  
All \$5.00 Trousers Reduced to **\$3.75**  
All \$6.00 Trousers Reduced to **\$4.00**

See our show window for patterns and prices.

**Parks & Waldrop**  
The Clothiers.

### A LOVELY LUNCHEON.

Approaching Marriage of Mr. S. H. Dunlap and Miss Edith Rhodes Announced Yesterday.

Misses Edith Rhodes, Lilla Graham McInnis, Ethel Cavitt, Jessie Garth, Lucy Board, Mattie Watkins, Aurie Rhodes, Emily Peale, Emily and Winnie Thomas and Nellie Batte formed a merry party of young ladies called together by Mrs. E. J. Fountain at her lovely home for a beautiful luncheon yesterday afternoon at 1 o'clock. The occasion was marked by the announcement of the marriage of Mr. S. H. Dunlap and Miss Edith Rhodes, which will take place in April.

Pink and white decorations prevailed in the dining room. Luxuriant pink carnations formed the centerpiece, resting upon rich lace, which concealed dainty heart sealed envelopes. Ribbons led from these to pretty candle sticks at each place. When the coffee was brought in the ribbons were drawn and the several young ladies read their fortunes. The massive drawn by the hostess announced the wedding in a clever verse employing the names of the popular bride and groom to be. Heart shaped placed cards showing a water color sketch of a bride and groom were provided, and the luncheon courses were served in heart shaped designs. Following the announcement came congratulations and a toast to the bride and groom.

Menu.  
Chilled Fruit  
Tomato Bisque  
Escaloped Oysters in Ramikins  
Sliced Turkey Bread Stuffing  
French Peas  
Cranberry Sauce Beaten  
Biscuits  
Love Apple Salad  
Heart Cream Dark Cake  
Cafe Noir Cheese

### TEXAS BRIEFS.

The Court of Appeals has decided that Sunday is not a business day for the payment of life insurance premiums.

First District Bankers' Association was addressed by State Commissioner Love.

An \$18,000 cotton fire occurred at Mexia, but the loss may prove greater. The town of Richland Springs was almost wiped out by a fire.

A shooting occurred in Bastrop and a negro surrendered.

The unwritten law is pleaded in a murder trial at Marlin.

Beaumont City Council opened bids for bonds for market house and fire station.

Plantersville had a visitation by burglars.

At Goldthwaite brothers met who had not seen each other for fifty five years.

A mass meeting to forward the movement for a memorial to Rev. Josephus Johnson was held at Victoria.

Attorneys General of Kansas, Texas and Missouri will meet in Austin today on the lumber trust matter.

Orange voted \$15,000 bonds for street improvements.

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**More Serious.**  
Indianapolis, Feb. 19.—The flood situation in southern Indiana was more serious Wednesday. Swollen rivers have increased in depth and thousands of additional acres of lowlands are submerged. At Evansville the Ohio river gauge showed thirty-nine feet at noon. The river was rising about one inch per hour. Rain and snow fell during Tuesday night, followed Wednesday by a cold wind, causing much suffering among those camped in temporary quarters among the hills. Green river rose twelve inches during Tuesday night. At Terre Haute, the Wabash rose four inches, reaching eighteen feet. At Hazleton, White river now twenty-two feet.

**Nice Remembrance.**  
New York, Feb. 19.—Presumably because of his courtesy to them while they were obtaining their marriage license at the city hall, Lieutenant William Kennet, in charge of the mayor's office, has received from Count and Countess Szechenyi a present of a set of amethyst waist coat buttons, cuff buttons and shirt studs. Lieutenant Kennet obtained permission from Mayor McClellan to accept the gift, which was sent by a messenger.

**Boiler Blows Up.**  
Lowell, Mass., Feb. 19.—The explosion of a boiler in the Hamilton corporation's new mill wrecked a wall of the building and injured several men. Windows in the vicinity of the building were shattered. No lives were lost.

**Secretary of War Endorsed.**  
Albuquerque, N. M., Feb. 19.—The New Mexican territorial committee has adopted a strong resolution endorsing the candidacy of Hon. W. H. Taft for the Republican presidential nomination.

**Dr. Douglas Dies.**  
Nashville, Feb. 19.—Dr. Richard Douglas, a surgeon and author of Douglas, died here.

**Nurses and Patient Wed.**  
Kittanning, Pa., Feb. 19.—Samuel Ayers, a wealthy bachelor, and Miss Coral Rossard, who nursed him in a hospital, married.

**Floods Cost Considerable.**  
Pittsburg, Feb. 19.—Floods past fifty years have cost this city \$50,000,000.

**Foot of Snow.**  
Milwaukee, Feb. 19.—Foot of snow fell here. Traffic is hampered.

**TENNESSEE DEMOCRATS.**  
Nashville, Tenn., Feb. 19.—Members of the State Democratic executive committee are gathering in the city for a meeting tomorrow. At this meeting the manner of selecting the gubernatorial nominee of the party will be determined and the date for the convention to select delegates to the national Democratic convention will be fixed. Many of the members of the committee appear favorable to the plan of holding delegate primaries in every county on the same day, instead of a gubernatorial primary.

**HAVE OUTLIVED USEFULNESS.**  
Washington, D. C., Feb. 19.—Bids were opened at the Navy Department today for the sale of two vessels of the United States navy that long ago outlived their usefulness and are now destined for the junk heap. The two vessels are the civil war monitor Canonicus, now at the Norfolk navy yard, and the Pinta, at Mare Island. Of the two, the Canonicus is the only one that will live in the history of the navy. The Pinta is interesting only as a relic of the old navy of the days before wooden ships had been displaced by ironclads.

**ANTI-RACING BILL HEARING.**  
Albany, N. Y., Feb. 19.—The first skirmish in the war over the Anti-Race Track Gambling bill, favored by Governor Hughes, came today in the shape of a joint hearing by the codes committees of both branches of the general assembly. Counsel representing the race track interests and the opposition were on hand to give their views of the proposed measure.

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